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## THE TALKATIVE BARBER.

He Tells All He Knows About His Art  
and Its History.

"That man's a chronic grumbler," the  
barber said to a Detroit Free Press re-  
porter, as he glanced after a retiring cus-  
tomer. "Nothing is chinty enough for him.  
Did you ever see a better appointed shop  
than mine?"

The reporter looked around the elegantly-  
furnished room, with its luxuriant chairs,  
plate-glass mirrors, nickel-plated cuspi-  
dors, embossed shaving mugs, glittering  
cut-glass bottles, etc., and declared that he  
never had.

"I wonder what he'd say about a barber  
shop of a century or more ago?" growled  
the barber. "It wasn't like a boudoir, I  
promise you. Why, what I pay every week  
for duplicate copies of papers for my cus-  
tomers to read would have paid the rent of  
a shop a hundred years ago."

"But in those old days the barber shops  
were supplied with papers, too," suggested  
the reporter.

"Oh, yes," admitted the barber, who was  
a very intelligent man of his class. "But  
the cost wasn't any thing like the same.  
Remember, I take all the leading dailies, to-  
day. Yes, they had the newspapers. An  
old etching of a barber shop by Toms has  
this couplet under it:

"While some were shaved and bled,  
Waiting ones the paper read."  
Barbers burned candles in brass chan-  
delliers, which emitted an unpleasant odor.

Often the barber had a stick with a cross  
piece thrust into his apron strap, and in  
the cross piece, which was almost as high  
as his chin, a candle burned. A century  
ago a basin was used, with a half circle in  
the rim, which went around the throat.

There were dishes placed in it to hold the  
balls of soap. It was such a basin that the  
valiant Don Quixote took from the enchau-  
ing barber, imagining it to be a golden head-  
piece. I tell you, things weren't any thing  
as comfortable as they are now."

"I wonder if barbers talked as much as  
they do now," the reporter said, with a  
twinkle in his eye.

"There isn't any doubt about that," re-  
plied the barber. "An old poet refers to the  
falling—"

"The barber, full of Whig or Tory."  
"They were not only garrulous, but kept  
up an odd snapping noise with their fin-  
gers. In Ben Jonson's 'Silent Women' is a  
character named Morose, who especially  
enjoyed a barber who was silent and did  
not snap his fingers. The more audible the  
cracking of the fingers the higher the bar-  
ber stood in the fraternity. Do you know  
what led to the peculiar custom?"

The reporter confessed that he didn't.

"Even at that day the proverb, 'a good  
lather is half the shave,' was in vogue. The  
felicitous refinement of the brush had not  
been introduced, and the barber energeti-  
cally rubbed the lather over the customer's  
face with his hand. The barber threw off  
the lather which adhered to his fingers by a  
peculiar jerk which caused the fingers to crack."

"The couplet you quoted said something  
about bleeding," remarked the reporter.

"From that originated the striped pole, did  
it not?"

"Yes. In those days a barber was also a  
surgeon. Do you know, I looked up that  
thing the other day. I read that among the  
stipulations of Heriot's celebrated hospi-  
tal, founded in Edinburgh in 1638, is one  
that there was to be a 'chirurgion' barber to  
cut the hair of the inmates, and 'look to the  
care of all those who in any way shall  
stand in need of his art.' Bleeding was  
very popular in old times. The patient  
grasped a long, stout staff, and his arm was  
bandaged with a long fillet or tape. This  
blood-stained bandage was kept wound  
around the pole when not in use, and the  
pole was placed outside the door to indicate  
to passers-by where they might be bled.  
Finally a painted pole was used instead."

"What is the earliest reference to shaving  
among the classic nations?" asked the  
reporter.

"A barber would probably starve in their  
country. They venerate their beards so  
much that they bury the hair which comes  
off in combing them. They broke the first  
hair as it was combed out, to propitiate the  
angels. They considered that the divine  
image of man resided in the beard."

**Jenny Lind's Grave.**

From a private letter received a few  
days ago from an American in London we  
get the following: "One day I strolled into  
Malvern cemetery. I was anxious to  
see the grave of Jenny Lind. A large  
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## IRON CHAIN MAKING.

Hot and Nasty Work Requiring Consider-  
able Skill and Strength.

All readers have seen iron chains, though  
it is to be hoped that none of them will ever  
have to wear one. For all that, they may  
be glad to know something about the pro-  
cess of making them, a process thus de-  
scribed by the Pittsburgh Dispatch:

The first operation is the making of the  
links. The material comes in coils, each  
containing from eighty to one hundred and  
twenty feet of round iron rod, which is of  
uniform diameter and of various sizes, cor-  
responding to the different styles of chains.

A piece of this wire is placed in the  
groove of a powerful machine, the wheel is  
started, a twisting motion imparted, and the  
iron comes forth in a spiral roll, looking  
as the outer strand of a rope might if sepa-  
rated from the component parts.

The groove into which the iron is pressed,  
and the spindle-like arrangement about  
which the coil is formed, make the coil ex-  
actly uniform throughout, the links being  
the same distance apart, and of the same  
size. The machine does its work rapidly;  
but little time is consumed in converting  
the eighty or more feet of rod into shape  
for chain links.

The next step in the manufacture of a  
chain is the cutting of the links. The spiral  
coil goes from the hands of the man who  
works the machine to another who places it in  
a long sheet-iron trough, suspended as high  
as a man's head, one end being considera-  
bly lower than the other.

One end of the coil is then submitted to  
the operation of the cutting machine, which  
at a single blow strikes off enough of it  
for a chain link. The machine is regular  
and rapid in its motion. The workman has  
only to hold the iron in position, and from  
two hundred to two hundred and seventy-  
five links are cut every minute. They drop  
into a spout, and roll therefrom into a small  
car, which is hauled away when full to the  
weaving department.

So far all the work has been done without  
the agency of heat, but the chain cannot be  
completed without the agency of fire. The  
final operation is welding the links to-  
gether. Standing beside a furnace in  
which a hot natural gas fire is blazing, the  
workman seizes a piece of the white-hot  
metal with his tongs, places it on a die, and  
putting his foot on a treadle causes a spring  
hammer to descend, giving shape to the link.

Two other turns and two more blows of  
the hammer, and the link is completely  
formed and welded together. Another  
piece is then taken from the fire, and the  
open end deftly slipped around the link just  
formed. It is then operated upon just  
as the first link was; another is added, then  
another; the chain is growing rapidly—  
so fast, indeed, that two feet or more of it  
has been finished before the red glow has  
died out of the first link welded.

Of the small chain, which the workman is  
now making, the welding of three thousand  
links is considered a good day's work. More  
can be made of a smaller size, and less of a  
larger. It is hot and noisy work.

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loves his work, and to him who loves his  
work there is no encouragement so encour-  
aging as the assurance that his employer  
likes him and likes his work.

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undersigned, administrator of the  
above named estate, to the creditors of  
and all persons having claims against said  
deceased, Antonio Capurro, to exhibit the  
same with the necessary vouchers, within  
three months from the first publication of  
this notice, to the undersigned, at her resi-  
dence in Reno, Washoe County, State of Ne-  
vada. MARY CAPURRO.

**Notice of Publication.**

LAND OFFICE AT  
CARSON CITY, NEV., July 26, 1889.  
NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE  
following named settler has filed notice of  
his intention to make final proof in sup-  
port of his claim, and that said proof will be  
made before the Register and Receiver at  
Carson City, Nevada, on the

31st Day of August, 1889,

Viz: William Miller, homestead application  
No. 410, for the NE 1/4 Sec. 2, T. 19, N. R.  
30, R. 2, M. D. M.  
He names the following witnesses to prove  
his continuous residence upon, and cultiva-  
tion of said land, viz:  
George Ulyatt, Daniel Bryant, O. C. Ross  
and Wm. Van Meter, all of Washoe county,  
Nev.; postoffice address, Reno, Nev.  
O. H. GALLUP, Register.

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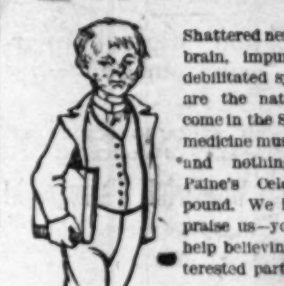
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## 5 O'CLOCK EDITION.

THE semi-weekly flood which comes down the Truckee cleans things up in good shape in this neighborhood. The way the sewer system of Reno was laid out it gives advantages seldom offered for flushing and cleaning out the rubbish. A connection was made with the English ditch so that a big stream can be turned in the upper end of the sewer and let it sweep clear through to the river, carrying everything before it. In case of low water in the river so that matters at the mouth of the sewer require it, a gate can be opened in the Countryman's ditch and a big freshet turned across the river bed so as to clean it up. On the whole the natural advantages of the situation have been taken advantage of and if people will make use of them, Reno's sewer system will prove the best investment she ever made.

THE latest revelations concerning Egyptian antiquities come through the research of Prof. Naville of Geneva, made at Bubastes. Bubastes was the sacred city of Bass, the cat-headed goddess. It was supposed that its great temple had entirely disappeared, but M. Naville discovered extensive remains of it, and striking proof to show that the pyramids of Cheops and Sheferen must have been in existence at least 8700 B. C., or about 6000 years ago. The Hyksos, or shepherd kings, came from Babylon or Mesopotamia in the twenty-third century B. C.

THE University of California admits students without examination when they bring a diploma from any high school in the State. In order to protect their scholarship, the Regents have a regular system of examination of the schools or the State. The system works exceedingly well and we believe has been adopted in Michigan. It helps the public schools immensely, securing a high and uniform standard. Some day it might be good for Nevada.

The New York World (Dem.) thinks it sees in the recent congregation of Democratic leaders in New York City an indication that there is to be a "buddle battle" in the Territories about to become States. In order to cover up this kind of electioneering, the order will probably be passed along the line to commence a simultaneous attack on Dudley's "blocks of five" and Wannamaker's "ready made clothing."

**Heavy Attachment.**  
OSWEGO, N. Y., August 6.—The property of the Riverside and Oswego Mills Company, owning the extensive worsted mills at Oswego Falls, were to-day attached by the Sheriff for \$412,000. The action was brought by Jullard, McKenzie & Quibby, dry goods merchants of New York City. The defendant is a foreign corporation, located at Providence, R. I., with a capital of one million dollars. The action was commenced to secure the payment of money loaned the defendant. Defendant also owns extensive property at Providence. The action will probably cause a temporary suspension, but an early adjustment of the trouble is looked for. The mills employ 10,000 hands.

**A Democratic State.**  
LOUISVILLE, August 6.—Stephen G. Sharp, the Democratic candidate for Treasurer, has been elected by between 35,000 and 40,000 majority. The Democrats gain eight, and probably more, seats in the Legislature.

**The Jumping Crank.**  
NEW YORK, August 6.—At Rockaway last evening Professor Baptiste Peynaud jumped from a tower 150 feet high into a net stretched a few feet above the water. The leap was successfully accomplished.

**Killed Them Both.**  
ENLEY, Ala., August 6.—Last night at 12 o'clock Andy Williams went home and found William McCutcheon with his wife. He killed both with his revolver, and then left.

**Died of Apoplexy.**  
PRAGUE, August 6.—General Philipovich, conqueror of Bosnia, died last night of apoplexy.

**Games of Chance.**  
The Supreme Court of California gives the following as to what constitutes a game of chance: "Such a game is one in which there is a fund against which everybody has a right to bet, the bank being responsible for all sums, taking all sums won and paying all sums lost."

## TO-DAY'S RACES.

### End of the Egyptian Campaign.

### THE PRESIDENT GOES EAST.

A Gentle Victory in Salt Lake City.

### MURDER AND SUICIDE

A Large Woolen Mill Attached at Oswego, New York.

[ASSOCIATED PRESS DISPATCHES TO THE GAZETTE.]

### Monmouth Park Races.

MONMOUTH PARK, August 6.—This is the champion day and the two great races of the Monmouth Park season. Champion for horses three years old and upward, and junior champion for two-year-olds will be decided. The first will be the junior champion, worth \$30,000 to the winner. Fourteen youngsters are announced as certain starters, and two, the Stonehenge—Eccola colt—and King Hazem, as possible starters. At all events, with such youngsters as Cayuga, Devotee, Burlington, Leighton, Avondale, St. Carlo, Clarendon, Banquet, Chesapeake and the Cyclone colt, Starlight and Ballarat in the party, there will be a horse-race of a very lively description. Immediately following this race will be that between Fireze, Los Angeles and Eurus for the champion stakes.

NEW YORK, August 6.—After long consideration, the Association decided to cut off telegraphic communication with the outside world. The theory is that the instant transmission of the results of the races to the pool rooms keeps people in town who would otherwise go to the track. It is believed, however, that means will be found to send the results by wire.

MONMOUTH PARK, August 6.—The second race, junior champion stakes, three-fourths of a mile, was won by Protection; Chesapeake second and Banquet third; time, 1:20 1/2.

### Becoming too Frequent.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 5.—This afternoon John Carter, who has been employed as a guard at the San Quentin State Prison, shot his wife in the back while she was dressing her hair before a mirror, and then shot himself in the head. Carter died instantly and his wife a few minutes later. Jealousy on the part of Carter is said to have been the cause of the deed. The tragedy took place at 507 Jones street, a private boarding house, where the couple had gone for their meals.

NEVADA CITY, Cal., August 5.—John Carter, who shot and killed his wife and then blew out his own brains in San Francisco to-day, was formerly a Deputy Sheriff of this county. His father is Captain Carter, foreman of the Idaho mine, and a prominent citizen of Grass Valley. Mrs. Carter, to whom he was married in this city four years ago, was born here. Her mother is Mrs. Edwin Tilley of this city, one of the wealthiest women in the county.

### A Desperate Murderer.

MADISON, Ind., August 6.—Last night young Geo. Schlick shot Robert Sisco, killing him instantly. Schlick had quarreled with Sisco's brother, and afterwards found Dick Sisco in a saloon and shot him dead, at the same time slightly wounding Reeder and a man named Close, who essayed to stop him. Schlick got away, but was discovered this morning by Walter Sisco, the dead man's brother, who tried to stop him, but Schlick cut him dangerously across the throat and made good his escape.

### A Young Couple Drowned.

EUGENE, Ogn., August 5.—From Florence comes the news of the drowning of Miss Minnie Luckery and Albert Wilson, both residents of Eugene. They started up the Siuslaw river in a sail-boat yesterday in company with a man named Heeley. The boat was capsized by the wind, and though boats were sent out from Florence to the rescue, the young couple sank and their bodies have not been recovered. Heeley was rescued.

### A Gentle Victory

SALT LAKE, August 6.—The Gentile population are greatly excited over the result of yesterday's election. The vote gives them a majority of forty in the city, and insures a Gentile City Government next February. Six Gentiles were elected to the House of Representatives and two in the Council, giving them eight out of thirty-six members.

### The Campaign Over.

CAIRO, August 6.—General Grenfell is returning to Cairo. The campaign is over. The bodies of the Egyptians were left at Sarrae. The cavalry is in pursuit of an Emir who survived the battle of Saturday. He is lurking in the hills about Bellana with 200 men.

### Bound for Bar Harbor.

WASHINGTON, August 6.—The President and party, including Secretaries Windom and Proctor, left at 9:40 this morning for New York, en route to Bar Harbor.

### Favorable to the Prisoner.

LYVERPOOL, August 6.—When the trial of Mrs. Maybrick was resumed the Judge delivered his charge to the jury. His remarks were strongly in favor of the prisoner.

## THE BLACK DIAMOND SEIZURE.

TORONTO, August 6.—A special from Ottawa to the Empire, the Government organ says: There was considerable chattering here at the news from Victoria of the safe arrival of the sealed Black Diamond, although there is naturally much excitement still existing at the outrageous conduct of Captain Shepard in forcibly boarding and breaking the ship's lockers. Shepard's action and that of this Government, affords a very remarkable contrast to the treatment extended the United States fishing vessels that have been seized or detained for transgressions of the Canadian fishery laws of the Atlantic. Apart altogether from the recent seizure, the conduct of Captain Shepard must of necessity engage the most serious attention of the home Government. In this case, a vessel having a British register and flying the British flag is boarded on the high seas and forcibly searched. Under these circumstances it is surely due to British vessels pursuing a legitimate calling, that the Imperial Government should, without further procrastination, take prompt and decisive means to protect its commerce beyond the territorial waters of the United States, or any other territory.

Collector H. H. H. telegraphed the Minister of Customs that the Black Diamond's papers of clearance, coasting license and certificate of registry, as well as her sailing papers, were taken from her.

OTTAWA, August 6.—The Minister of Customs has received a full report from Victoria regarding the Black Diamond.

### The President Will Come West.

SAN FRANCISCO, August 6.—A Chronicle special from Washington says that in an interview with M. H. DeYoung, proprietor of that paper, President Harrison said that he was very desirous of visiting the Pacific Coast within the near future, and that it was his intention to make the trip no later than next summer, and that he anticipated much pleasure from the proposed visit.

### Another Advance in Sugar.

NEW YORK, August 6.—Yesterday a dispatch was received from Philadelphia, on the strength of which sugar certificates boomed up nearly two points more. The story was that an agreement had been reached between the managers of the trust and others concerning the quantity of sugar to be refined. It was also said that Claus Spreckles and the president of the trust had come to an agreement.

### To Be Opened to Settlement.

STANDING ROCK, August 6.—A requisite number of signatures for opening the great Sioux reservation were secured last evening. The sensation of the day was the signing by Chief Gall. Blackfoot and the upper and lower Yanktonians followed Gall. The 11,000,000 acres which the whites have been looking longingly at for so many years will be opened.

### The New Board.

NEW YORK, August 6.—The following Directors of the Pacific Postal Telegraph Cable Company were elected to-day: John W. Mackay, W. C. Van Horn, George Stephens, Charles C. Hosmer, Richard W. Day, Albert R. Chandler, Hector De Castor, E. C. Platt and George Ward.

### Maud to Be Put in Training.

NEW YORK, August 6.—Robert Bonner says that Maud S. will be put in training at once. The only reason for not doing so before was on account of John Murphy's illness. Now that Murphy is dead it is not decided in whose hands she will be put.

### Another Cruiser Disabled.

NEWPORT, August 6.—It is understood that the cruiser Atlanta met with an accident to her machinery while making a trial yesterday which will necessitate her going into New York for repairs.

### The French Election.

PARIS, August 6.—Official returns of the election for members of the General Councils show that 949 Republicans and 489 Conservatives were elected.

### Sugar Works Burned.

TOPEKA, August 6.—The sorghum sugar works were burned this morning. Loss, \$70,000. Hundreds of acres of sorghum in this vicinity were nearly ready for grinding.

### Three Men Murdered.

PERKINSON, August 6.—Last night John Hatchings fatally shot George and Albert Lewis, brothers, and Frank Dunn; the result of a feud.

### Bar silver, 92 1/2.

### Indian Schools.

Nearly one hundred Pima and Papago Indian boys and girls are pupils at the Albuquerque (N. M.) Indian schools. They are taken from the Papago and Pima Indian reservations in Pima and Maricopa counties, A. T.

### College Building Moved.

The Pacific Methodist College building at Santa Rosa, Cal., was transferred Saturday to the new site, three-fourths of a mile north of its former location. The building is three stories high and weighs 5,000 tons. The price paid for the moving was \$3,000.

### NEW TODAY.

### Dissolution of Partnership.

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE existing between W. S. Bailey and L. B. Derby, under the firm name of Bailey & Derby, in the butchering business, in the town of Reno, Washoe county, Nevada, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. Mr. Bailey taking the Reno Market and Mr. Derby the Truckee Market. Parties indebted to the late firm are requested to call and settle immediately.

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Enoch and Cyrus and Jerry and Ben. Four babies together, four fat little men. Four bald-headed babies, who bumped themselves blue.  
And sprawled, grabbed and tumbled, as all babies do—  
Full of laughter and tears, full of sorrow and grief,  
And big, bouncing bouncers, as all babies be.  
All in the same valley lived these little men—  
Enoch and Cyrus and Jerry and Ben.

Enoch and Cyrus and Jerry and Ben. Were fast little chums—till they grew to be men.  
Eight bare little feet on the same errands flew  
Thru meadows besprinkled with daisies and dew;  
They were aimless as butterflies, thoughtless and free  
As the summer-mad bobolink, drunken with glee.  
A wonderful time were those careless days  
Then for Enoch and Cyrus and Jerry and Ben.  
Enoch and Cyrus and Jerry and Ben. Grew from babies to boys, and from boys into men.  
Too restless to stay in the circumscribed bound  
Of the green hills that circled their valley around.  
To the North and the South and the East and the West,  
Each departed alone on a separate quest.  
Ah! they'll never be the same to each other again—  
Enoch and Cyrus and Jerry and Ben.  
Enoch and Cyrus and Jerry and Ben. Though companions in youth, were strangers as men.  
Enoch grew rich and haughty and proud,  
While Cyrus worked on with the toll-driven crowd;  
In the councils of state Jerry held a proud place,  
But poor Ben, he sounded the depths of disgrace.  
Ah! diverse were the lives of these boys from the glen—  
Enoch and Cyrus and Jerry and Ben.  
Enoch and Cyrus and Jerry and Ben. Who can read the strong fates that encompassed these men?  
The fate that raised one to the summit of fame,  
The fate that dragged one to the darkness of shame!  
Ah! silence is best; neither glory nor blame  
Will I grant to the honored or dishonored name.  
We are all like these boys who grew to be men—  
Like Enoch, or Cyrus, or Jerry or Ben.  
—S. W. Foss, in Yankee Blade.

**HEROIC MEASURES.**

**How the Spell Was Removed from Uncle Billy's Horses.**

Gross superstition is generally allied to ignorance. The man who seriously believes in witchcraft and silver bullets is likely to contend that the world can not revolve every twenty-four hours, because it does not empty the water out of his well.  
Uncle Billy, as an old pioneer we wot of was familiarly termed, was one of this class. He knew there was such beings as witches—old women who had made a league with the devil—because he had had some sad experiences in his younger days.  
"You see," said Uncle Billy, "I ain't a man of learning—I never went to school a day in my life—I don't know how to write my name or even read a word of print—but, for all that, I knows as much about witches, and can tell you as much about 'em, as the next."  
"I settled out West here after the Injuns had all been driven off, and so on, and my wife hadn't nothing to fear from them; but there was other critters about in these here diggings nigh as bad, as I'm a gwine to tell you about."  
"You must know that after I'd got things fixed up to suit me, I tuk to raising hosses, having a natural incline for that, and animal. I've knowed a hoss ever since I was old enough to know any thing. Nobody couldn't fool me in a hoss. After two or three years I got things a joggin' in the right kind of style, and was doing a purty decent business for a man of my means and education."  
"But then come my first trouble. An old woman, called the Widder Groat, living about two miles off, come over to my house one day to borrow a peck of Injin meal. My wife she let her have it, and the old witch she went off good-natured enough. A week went by, and she didn't fetch it back, but come agin for another peck, telling some kind of a story about being disappointed and so on. Howsomever, my wife she didn't believe her, and wouldn't let her have no more till she paid up, and this time she went away mad, and said that rascal who wouldn't help poor folks wouldn't git along none too well, and that we might look out to see the Lord pay us off for our meanness in a way we'd feel it. If she'd said Satan instead of the Lord I reckon she'd come nearer the mark."  
"Well, about a week after that I went out to see after my hosses and found five of 'em sick in a way I'd never seed hosses afore; and the minute I looked at 'em I knowed Mother Groat had begun her devilish work, and I didn't have much hope to cure 'em, though I went in for trying what I thought was best. It didn't do no good, though—they all died in great distress—and then some more of 'em was tuk in the same way. I got a hoss-doctor to come and see 'em, but he couldn't tell what ailed 'em, no more'n me, and they died, too. But when the third lot was tuk I thought it high time to try so'thing else; and, backing my saddle-hoss, I rid thirty miles to see a woman that told fortunes and sich. She was a big, fat thing, with a purty sharp eye, and knowed a heap."  
"You've come on important business," says she, as I leaped down from my panting hoss, and hurried into her house.  
"I has," said I; "what is it?"  
"So'thing's happened to you of late that's kind of awful and mysterious," she said.  
"Yes," said I, "that's true," wondering all the time how she could know.  
"You've lost," said she; and there she stopped, and looked right curious into my eyes.  
"I have; but can you tell me what?"  
"I did that just to try her, like."  
"I can tell you," said she, "but it might take me some little time to git at all the particulars, and every minute is so precious to the success of what you're after."  
"It is," said I, and I went on to tell her all about the hosses.  
"They're bewitched," she said, right off, without stopping to think a minute.  
"That's it!" I cried. "I knowed it."  
"There's an old woman in the scrape!" she said.  
"Exactly!" I replied.  
"Let me see!" she sort o' mused; "her name is—"  
"Groat!" I said.  
"The very same," said she; "and I'm glad you know it yourself, for now you'll be ready to act as I tell you."  
"It's wonderful, sir, what that 'ar fortun-teller knowed. She caught at the name of Groat the minute I spoke it; jest as if she'd knowed the old witch all her life, and I s'pect she'd never set eyes on her neither."  
"Well, she told me to go and git some ay, some dogwood roots, and mix 'em with some yarks she giv me, and put 'em in a pot, along with a lot of pins and needles, and hile 'em all together for two hours, calling out the name of the witch every minute or so, and I'd find it 'ud make her sick, or at least put her into a great distress, even though she mightn't let on; and if that didn't take the spell off of my hosses, to come back to her, and she'd tell me so'thing

life as would. I wanted her to tell me the other thing then—because thirty miles was no small bit to ride—but she said as how it 'ud break the spell to tell me the second afore the first was tried; and so I had to go home with what I'd got, which I paid her five dollars for.  
"Well, sir, I rode home, and tried the yark spell as soon as I could git all the things together, which was the next day, and after I'd done so I started over to the Widder Groat's, on pretense to ask her about her health and the corn meal; but really, you see, sir, to find out how the thing worked. The old woman lived in a log hut about a mile off; and when I got there I saw at once as how the charm was doing the business beautiful. Things didn't look thrifty round about, and the shanty was kind of shut up like. I knocked on the door, jest for form's sake, and a faint voice told me to come in. I went in, and there lay the old woman, stretched out on her bed, grunting with pain.  
"Oh," she snivelled out, as soon as she saw me; "it's you, are it, Uncle Billy? I'm glad to see anybody, for I's feared I'd die here all alone."  
"What's the matter, Mother Groat?" I asked, jest as if I didn't know.  
"I'm nearly dead with the rheumatism and starvation," said she, with another grunt. "I hain't had a mouthful to eat since yesterday morning. Didn't you fetch me over so'thing to eat?" she asked.  
"No, thing," I answered; "I've had enough to do to tend to my hosses that's a dying with your bewitchment."  
"What do you mean?" she asked.  
"Oh, you don't know, in course," said I; "in course you don't know nothing about it!"  
"No," she said, "in course I don't. What's the matter with 'em?"  
"I were too mad to tell her at first any more, and so I jest asked her how long she'd been sick."  
"Two or three days," she says with another grunt.  
"I know she lied, for it hadn't been but a few hours sence I'd got the spell put on her; but I wasn't disappointed; I s'pected her to lie; the fortun-teller had said she might not let on, and she didn't, you see!"  
"Well, after I'd given her a piece of my mind on her wicked doings, I set out to go. She fairly begged me to fetch her so'thing to eat, or tell somebody else to, as she was dying, which I promised I'd do as soon as my hosses got well, if she'd agree never to witch 'em ag'in."  
"You're an old fool!" she cried; "and the curse of Heaven be on you and your family!"  
"Which it won't be none the more for your wishing it," said I, as I walked away and left her.  
"She was a terrible wicked old witch, sir, that same Mother Groat, I tell you. After all I'd said and done to her, she wouldn't let up on the critters, which kept on dying till I's afraid I'd lose the hulk of 'em. So I started off ag'in to the fortun-tellers, and told her all about it."  
"I see we've got to try so'thing severer," she said. "If that witch can't be satisfied with the punishment we've given her, there's no way but to go to extremes, even if it kills her. Now you go home," said she, "and pound up some silver into bullets, put one on 'em into your gun and go out into the woods and draw her face on a stump or tree, and then shoot into it!"  
"But I can't draw her face," I said, "because I ain't no drawer!"  
"Oh, make a round mark for the face, and then make marks for the eyes, nose and mouth, calling her by name all the time; that'll do jest as well."  
"And will that kill her?" I asked.  
"It will hurt her a good deal," she said, "if it don't do nothing else, and may be it'll break the spell on the hosses."  
"And s'pose it don't?" I asked.  
"Then you must take the rest of the bullets," said the fortun-teller—one for each hoss as is sick, mind—and shoot the critters dead, one after t' other, and so keep on shooting all as gits sick!"  
"Well, sir, I come home ag'in and set to work on the new spell. I cut and pounded up two silver spoons and some pieces of money into bullets and went out into the woods with my gun, drew the old witch on a stump, and let her have one on 'em right through her head. The next day I went over to see what had come on 'em and found old Mother Groat stiff and dead in her bed. Yes, sir, the bullet had done for her, and I s'pect Satan had got her soul, according to his barg'in with her."

A suggestion that she might have died of starvation and disease was treated by the superstitious Uncle Billy with scorn and contempt. It was astonishing how ignorant people were on the subject of witches. She was not the only one who had been put out of the world in that way; he had heard of many others, and had some other experiences himself.  
"But what about the hosses?"  
"Well, I only had to shoot four of 'em after the old witch died," he said, "and then the rest of 'em got along right nice."  
You might have made Uncle Billy believe the milky way was painted, because that looked reasonable, but not that the earth turned round, or that there was no such thing as witchcraft. He was only one of a large class, however, whose ignorance is a sad aid to their credulity.—N. Y. Ledger.

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